



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Mehrdad (nmi) Ehsani et al.
Serial No.: 09/998,735
Filing Date: November 30, 2001
Group Art Unit: 2837
Examiner: Renata D. McCloud
Title: *Method and Apparatus for Reducing Noise and Vibration in Switched Reluctance Motor Drives*

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Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

TIME EXTENSION REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Applicants hereby take an Extension of Time for responding to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2004, with a one (1) month extension from June 26, 2004 to July 26, 2004. The one-month extension fee of \$110.00 is attached hereto. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

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Respectfully submitted,

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